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For: A PRINT HEAD OF AN INK-JET PRINTER AND FABRICATION METHOD THEREOF

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed January 10, 2005, applicant(s) elect(s) claims 1-19 and 32-36 of Group I.

In addition, Applicants respectfully submitted that Group II, directed to claims 20-31, should also be examined in the present application, with Group I.

The claimed print head and head chip are produced in a semiconductor fabrication process using a semiconductor substrate, and therefore, it is difficult to fabricate the print head of claims 1-19 and the head chip of claims 32-36 according to another other method excluding the fabrication method set forth in claims 20-31.

Therefore, it is respectfully submitted that the claims of Groups I and II are substantially intertwined, thereby necessitating their prosecution in a single application.

Respectfully submitted,

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